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During the secret session of the King's death trial held on 20 October 1948, Mang Thawi, a former servant in the house of Lieutenant Vajarachai, testified that between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. of the day the King died, she had been instructed by Vajarachai to spread rumors that the King had committed suicide because he had found his mother engaged in a clandestine love affair with a certain high official of the Royal Household Bureau.

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Comment. The official referred to is Nai Chalio, one of the suspects, who was dismissed shortly before his death by the King. At the time, the King called Chalio vulgar and immoral. Mang Thawi was discharged by Vajarachai for stealing an M-3 from him and selling it to a Chinese merchant.)

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